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The President's Ball At The Town Hall Was A Big Success

The Town Hall was filled to capacity Thursday evening of last week for the annual President's Ball which was the third year of its observance. The hall was splendidly decorated with the American flag displayed on the stage and Marine signal flags over the dancing floor which were loaned for the event by Mrs. William J. McRoberts of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Andy Canedy's favorite orchestra were on the stage and rendered a fine program of dancing music and choral numbers. Both modern and old-time dances were on the program. The ball was opened with a grand march led by John Callahan and his daughter, Frances. During the evening, there was a program of entertainment between dances. The Hill Billy orchestra from the Northfield CCC Camp 1153 gave several selections and some of its artists rendered solos. Enid Miner and Gloria Savechek gave two dancing numbers. A radio was installed by George Kidder to enable the dancers to hear the President's greetings.

Refreshments in the lower room were in charge of Mrs. Win. Shattuck and Mrs. Charles Blosom.

Mr. William H. Dalton was at the door and Mr. Lewis Wood was in charge of the box office. Constable Harry Haskell was on duty.

The affair was a big success and chairman Lawrence D. Quinlan and his committee of workers deserve much credit for their part. After all expenses are paid there will be a balance of about \$35 to be turned over to the local Infantile Paralysis committee. Nearly \$15 will go to the Warm Springs Foundation Fund. The total monies now in the hands of the local trustees which consists of Mr. William F. Hoehn, Mr. Harry Gingras, and Mr. Ross L. Spencer as treasurer will be nearly \$80 and this fund is available to our local Board of Selectmen for any local infantile paralysis cases.

Work Has Begun On Vernon Underpass

Workmen are busily engaged in building a trestle to carry the tracks of the C. V. Railroad over the new underpass to be constructed just south of the present underpass about a mile north of South Vernon on the Brattleboro road. Just as soon as the trestle is completed the excavation and building of the retaining walls will be begun. The railroad carries all south-bound traffic of both the Central Vermont and Boston & Maine lines between Brattleboro and East Northfield, where the roads cross. Twelve railroad men have been building the trestle. The contractor for the underpass construction has been employing eight to ten.

Three state officials were on the site recently to check up the employment rolls, labor for the job being supplied from the U. S. employment bureau lists.

The highway will be open for auto traffic and the old underpass will be used until the new one is completed.

Eastern Star Installs

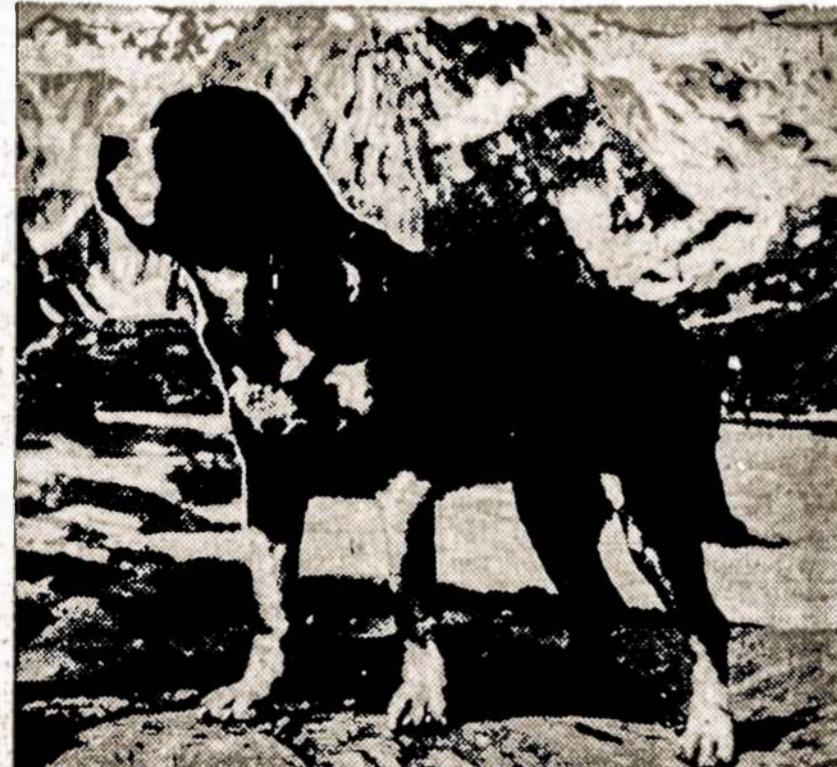
The Northfield Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star held its installation services at Masonic Hall on Parker street, last week Wednesday evening and despite the cold a large number were in attendance.

Grand Worthy Matron, Mrs. Mary M. Brown of Wellfleet was the installing officer. She was assisted by Grand Warden, Mrs. Nellie P. Burgess, Mrs. Maude Montague of Northfield, and Dr. Deane P. Taggart of Greenfield.

The officers of the Northfield Chapter who were installed were Mrs. Ruth H. Darby, worthy matron; Willis K. Parker, worthy patron; Mrs. Evelyn H. Parker, assistant matron; Rev. W. Stanley Carne, assistant patron; Mrs. Josephine Haskell, secretary; Miss Edith Steadler, treasurer; Mrs. Beatrice A. Harris, conductor; Miss Gladys E. Elthorpe, assistant conductor; Mrs. Marion Given, chaplain; Mrs. Mildred Pefferle, marshal; Miss Marion Webster, organist; Miss Priscilla M. Colton, organist; Miss Marian L. Mann, Ruth; Dr. Florence C. Colton, Esther; Miss Catherine Herron, Martha; Mrs. Emma H. Stacey, Electa; Mrs. Eva Fox, warden, and Theodore Darby, sentinel.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Northfield Hears St. Bernard Monastery



One of the famous Saint Bernard dogs on a mountain look-out point at the celebrated monastery in the Alps of Switzerland.

Several persons in Northfield who have visited Switzerland and have crossed over the St. Bernard's pass in the Alps were much interested in the broadcast last Sunday afternoon which brought many remembrances to them of the St. Bernard Monastery, its wonderful bells, the chant of the monks and also the howl of its wonderful herd of St. Bernard dogs. The announcer stated that winter lasted nearly nine months on this 18,000 foot level, that at present there was 22 feet of snow on the ground and it was very cold. The reception of the program was very good.

The monastery is world famous for the fact that the monks maintain a large kennel of St. Bernard dogs which patrol the blizzard-swept passes in search of lost or injured travelers, and many rescues have been reported. The Prior of the monastery sent his greetings over the radio and members of the monastery sang a Gregorian chant. The bells as they rang in unison came loud and clear. The broadcast was at two o'clock over the NBC chain on the Magic Key program.

Local Man Qualifies

Deputy Sheriff Theodore F. Darby has qualified for the position of a State Detective in Massachusetts and is subject to an appointment by the Civil Service Commission. Other Franklin County men who passed the requirements are Patrolman John F. Murphy, Greenfield; Police Chief Edward J. Redmond of South Deerfield; State Patrolman A. Francis O'Brien of Shelburne Falls; and Verie E. Hartwell, of Greenfield.

Seven of the 650 men who passed civil service examinations for state detective were either present or former residents of Franklin County. Although there are only 26 places to be filled 1,513 took the test. War veterans are given preference.

The position pays a minimum of \$2400 a year and a maximum of \$2940 under the step-up system.

Toppling the list of eligibles was John E. Norton, Belmont; with John J. Maher, Dorchester, second; and James J. Moore, Jr., Walpole, third.

Bonus Brings Big Sum

Payment of the bonus will bring about \$11,300,000 of federal money into Western Massachusetts. The money will be divided by counties as follows: Hampden \$6,500,000; Hampshire \$1,424,424; Berkshire \$2,361,616 and Franklin county \$970,708.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Trinitarian Church met on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 5, at the home of Mrs. H. H. Morse. The devotions in charge of Mrs. N. Fay Smith, were in memory of Mr. Dwight L. Moody. Mrs. W. H. Gible gave a most interesting resume of the first three chapters of the study book for the second half year "Toward A Christian America."

The final prizes in the Morganogram contest have been awarded. First prize of a smoking stand goes to Mary L. Barrows, and second prize, a can of polish goes to Leona Sutte. Many of the designs and replies should receive honorable mention. Mr. Miles Morgan of the Morgan Garage desires to thank all for their interest in this contest which he will resume later on.

Seminary and Hermon Observe Founder's Day Have Winter Sports

The 99th anniversary of the birth of Dwight L. Moody, founder of the Northfield Schools, was celebrated at both the Seminary and Mount Hermon Wednesday by special chapel services, at which the principal speaker was Dr. John McDowell of New York City, a graduate of the class of 1890, Mount Hermon, and one who as a student knew D. L. Moody well, Richard L. Watson, '91, of New Haven, read the Scriptures and prayer. Dr. David R. Porter, Headmaster, presided. At the Seminary, Mira B. Wilson, principal, presided.

Winter Carnivals were the order of the day at both schools. Ski racing and jumping, hockey, and snowshoeing featured the programs. The varsity played Deerfield in hockey in the afternoon, and at the Seminary all the students went for the traditional sleigh rides.

Dr. McDowell, in his address, stressed the influence of Moody upon his own generation and those who have followed him. Prof. Henry Drummond of London said of Moody that in his lifetime "there is perhaps no more truly great man living than D. L. Moody. America possesses at this moment no more extraordinary personage."

D. L. Moody lives today," said the speaker, "in the innumerable numbers of men and women all over the world whose lives he touched with his inspiring and transforming message; in the institutions which he established for human welfare; in books which he published; in the hymns which he inspired; in the movements which he inaugurated for human service; and in the outstanding leaders of many of the mightiest movements of the last three decades of the 19th century."

The 100th anniversary of the birth of the founder will be celebrated in 1937 in a world-wide fashion. Dr. McDowell has been chosen as chairman of the executive committee for this centenary. Other leaders who will cooperate are Dr. John R. Mott, Dr. Robert E. Speer, and Dr. Fred B. Smith. Over 5000 alumni and alumnae of the two Northfield Schools will join in the reunion at June, 1937.

From Cambridge to London, a stop at Chipping Warden, to Bournemouth where a delightful walk along the cliffs was enjoyed, then on to Southampton where the boat for home was waiting. These talks of Mrs. Morse's have been greatly enjoyed by Club members, and they are grateful to Mrs. Morse for her generosity in giving them.

Club members are asked to note the meeting on Friday of the week at Alexander Hall. Dr. Mary Dale speaks on "My Hobby" Next week at the Homestead, Friday, February 14, at 7:30, Mrs. L. W. Norton conducts the study on "Period Furniture."

HERMON NEWS

Hermonites were addressed from the pulpit last Sunday evening by Eugene P. Link, teacher of history, on the subject of the shortcomings of the present educational system. He said that the present system clings to the Platonic ideal of the permanence of idea, whereas the world is constantly changing. He condemned the practice in use by today's teachers of "pouring knowledge into the students' heads", as discouraging thought and constructive criticism.

At vespers Erdman Harris, professor at Union Theological Seminary, was the preacher. His text was concerned with prayer, and his sermon consisted of personal reflections on the proper use of prayer. "To pray properly," he said, "one must be in tune with the spirit of God." He went on to say that prayer should be addressed as a desire to "make me" rather than "give me."

Mount Hermon observed Wednesday the annual tradition of Founder's Day. Beginning in the morning with a chapel service addressed by Dr. John McDowell, '90, who recalled some incidents in the life of D. L. Moody throwing light on the wonderful character and peculiar business ability of the man. Following the chapel service there were intramural ski races, including cross-country, slalom, obstacle, and jumping events. The afternoon

P. T. A. Tonight Gives Senior Benefit For Washington Trip

Chrystine Coleman Ostberg, who gives a reading of "The Barretts of Wimpole Street" in the Town Hall this Friday night, is a favorite with Northfield audiences, having filled several engagements at the Northfield Hotel. This entertainment, which the Parent-Teacher association is sponsoring for the benefit of the High School senior class, is sure to be of interest, not only because of the main part of the program, but because of other talent. Mrs. Donald Williams and Irving L. Lawrence will give two groups of songs, a treat which is always appreciated. In addition, several members of Miss Bagley's dancing class will offer a short program. Gloria Savchek and Enid Miner will do a Russian dance, Janet Kehl and Winona Robinson will be seen in a skater's ballet and Miriam Hunt, June Bolton, Doris Miller, and Ruth McGowan, will give an eccentric tap dance. Helen Savchek will play the violin.

Members of the High School are busy with the sale of tickets, and the girls are planning to sell candy between the acts.

Elder Elected President N. E. Holstein Ass'n

Mr. Thomas E. Elder who makes his home at Alton, N. H., and was a former member of Mount Hermon faculty has been chosen as president of the New England states Holstein-Friesian association at the annual meeting of the organization held recently in Springfield. Mr. Elder is also a member of the Board of Directors of the National Association and is frequently called upon as a judge at exhibitions and expositions of Agricultural Associations. Mr. Hugh Morrill of Whately was elected secretary and Senator A. P. Bigelow of

Middlebury, Vt., treasurer.

Feed The Wild Things

The deep snow has made it difficult for the birds and squirrels to find their customary food. At many homes chick-a-dees, blue jays, snow buntings, gray squirrels and pheasants come daily to get the food that is put out for them. Grain, nuts, crumbs and suet are relished by the denizens of the field and forest. Sand or fine gravel is sadly needed by the birds, who must have grit to grind up their food and it is almost impossible for them to find it when the snow covers the ground so deeply. These little wild things get to be very tame and it is no end of fun to watch them at their feeding places.

WANDERLUST

It's the wanderlust that's in me, A lust for the winding trail, A lust for a care free valley road, Where laughter and youth prevail. A road that leads to the east or west, Up to the rising sun. A road that leads to the north or south, When day has just begun. A lust for the open fields, A lust for the woods and dream-ing streams, And a bed of moss that yields. A bed of moss and a maple shade, And the trill of an early thrush, A bed of moss and a spifful breeze, And a rabbit in the brush.

It's the wanderlust that's in me, A lust for the open sky, A lust for the sun, the wind and rain, And the haze where mountains lie, A haze where mountains meet with God, And a road that never ends, A haze that lives its secret life, Where God and the tramp are friends.

Roslyn Truez

Another Cryptograph

After the favorable reception of our first Cryptograph published in the Press last week, we are now offering the second of a series. Just try and see how good you are at forming words.

L. E. T.
I. B. H.
S. A. S.
It's easy—just try to make the word and if you fail, call the Editor and he will give you the word.

Town Meeting Is Now Over Election Brings Several Upsets Tax Rate Will Be Lower

Informed Of Death Charles Zabriskie

Information telegraphed to Northfield on Wednesday states that Mr. Charles Zabriskie of Preston City, Conn., died at his home there on Tuesday, following an operation which had been performed the previous week.

Mr. Zabriskie leaves a wife to mourn his loss, who was Miss Katherine Stout, well known here as having been a nurse at Betsy Moody infirmary for several years. They have one child of five months. Mr. Zabriskie was also a brother to Miss Alice Zabriskie who had charge of the personnel for the summer conference here for many years. All have many friends here who extend their sympathy in the hour of sorrow.

The Chairman Reports On Christmas Seals

Miss C. Ina Merriman, local chairman of the Christmas Seal sale, of the Franklin County Health association, makes this report of the sale of Christmas Seals in Northfield for 1935, she says:

"To date \$179.81 has been received from the sale of Christmas Seals. In 1934, the amount received was \$166.30, and in 1933, \$171.06.

"We want to thank the people of Northfield for their generous response and to those who doubled their usual gift, especial appreciation. We also want to thank the Northfield Pharmacy, The Bookstore, the Northfield Hotel, and Kenarden Hall for their help in selling seals, and the *Northfield News* for their co-operation.

"The work goes on throughout the year, and it is not too late for those who have not yet made their contribution to have a part in this much-needed work."

County Northfield Club Holds Greenfield Session

The Franklin County Northfield club, composed of Northfield Seminary alumnae, held its winter meeting at the Weldon Hotel in Greenfield last Monday evening with a number of men as well as alumnae of the seminary in attendance. Plans for an observance of founder's days, in honor of Dwight L. Moody, founder of the Northfield schools, on the occasion of his 100th birthday in February next year, were discussed. Speakers included Dr. David R. Porter, Headmaster of Mt. Hermon and Rev. Lester P. White, Chaplain. Mrs. White, president of the club presided.

Three Selectmen, George W. Carr, 287; Fred A. Holton, 341; Ralph O. Leach, 222; Edward M. Morgan, 216; Charles S. Tenney 302; blank, 159.

Assessor, Fred S. Merrifield, 229; Charles S. Tenney, 259; blank, 21.

Moderator, S. E. Walker, 434; blank, 75.

School Committee, Dorothy Miller, 442; scattering, 3; blank, 64.

Cemetery Commissioner, C. C. Morgan, 424; scattering, 1, blank, 76.

Two Library Trustees, Frank L. Duley, 346; C. Ina Merriman, 328; C. C. Stockbridge, 128; blank, 216.

Treasurer, Earle Makepeace, 205; Dean Williams, 283; scattering, 1; blank, 6.

Tax Collector, Leon R. Alexander, 181; Charles F. slate, 307; blank, 21.

Four Constables, Harry Haskell, 407; Ernest Howard, 247; George McGowan, 93; Herman Miner, 317; Martin E. Vorce, 278; scattering, 1; blank 184.

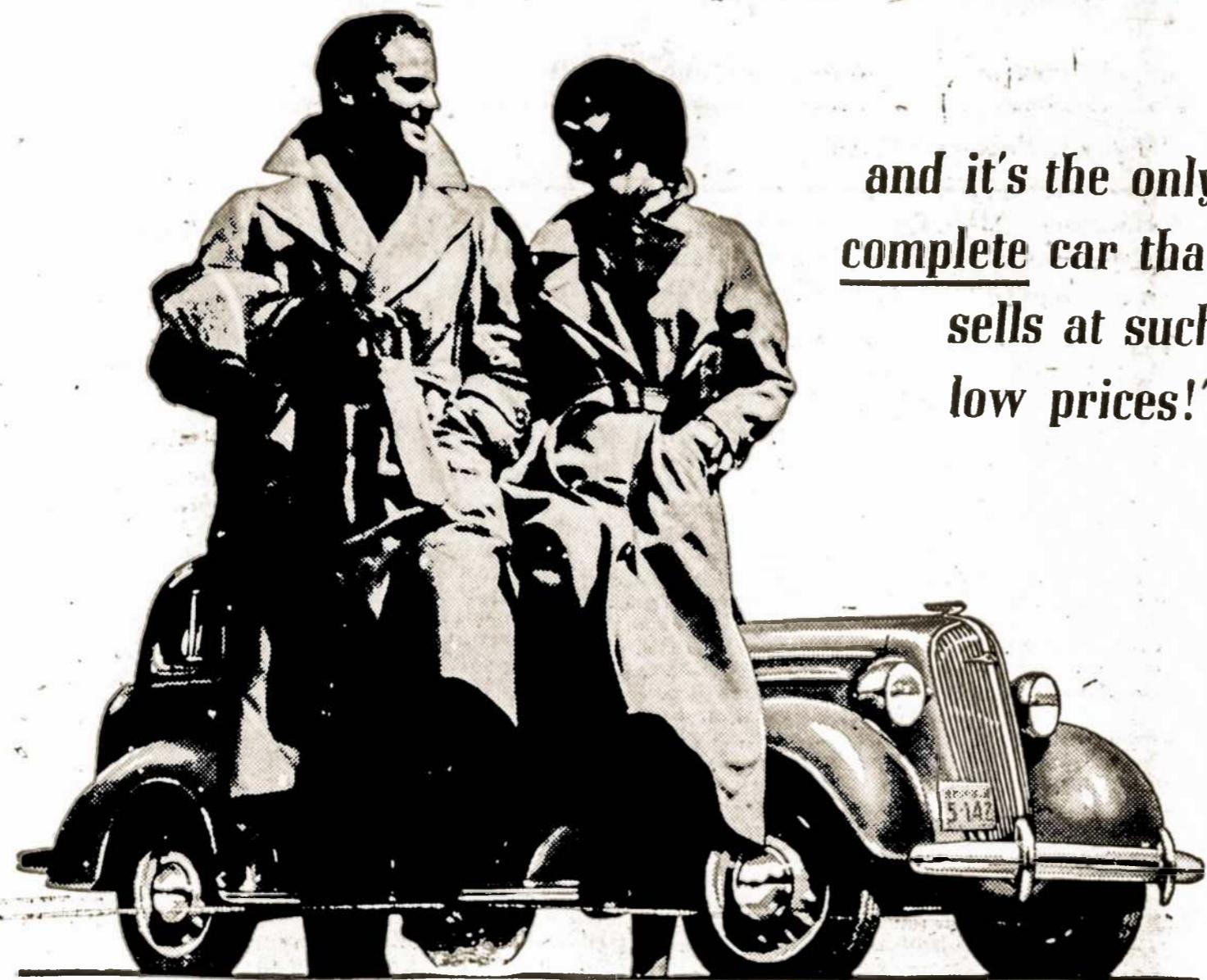
Sam F. Alexander, 440; blank, 71.

Speakers For Schools

Next Sunday at Sage Chapel the speaker will be Rev. Robert Russell, Larchmont, N. Y., for the morning, and Dr. Paul D. Moody, president of Middlebury college, and son of Dwight L. Moody, for the vesper service; on the 16th, Dr. George Stewart, Stamford, Ct., and 23rd, Dr. Henry Hallam Tweedy of the Yale Divinity school.

At Mount Hermon Chapel next Sunday the speaker will be Dr. P. D. Moody, for the forenoon and Rev. Robert Russell of Larchmont in the evening; 16th, Prof. Ralph Harlow of Smith College, 23rd, Dean Lynn Harold Hough of Drew Seminary, Madison, New Jersey.

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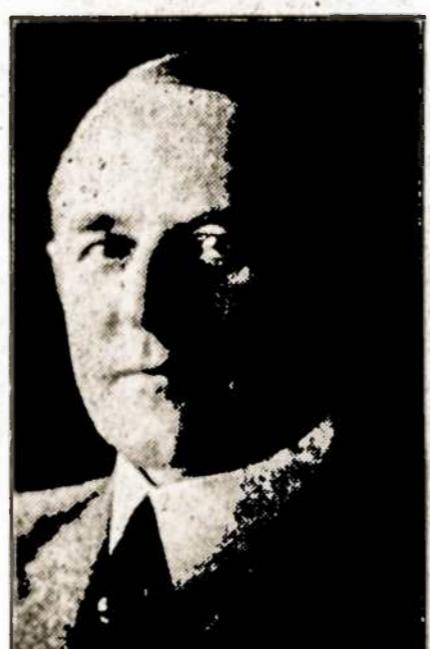
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PERSONALS

Robert Sherwood of Worcester is spending a few weeks on a vacation visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boehne and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meier of Greenfield visited the Newton-Griggs on Winchester road Sunday.

Mrs. Max Huber, Sr., who has been at the Franklin County hospital for treatment has returned to her home here.

Dr. and Mrs. Elliott W. Brown have arrived at St. Petersburg, and are nicely quartered in a convenient apartment on 16th Ave. They report a temperature there on Jan. 29 of 44 degrees. A low temperature for Florida.

Prof. Spurgeon Gage of Mount Hermon was the preacher at the services of the First Congregational church at Millers Falls last Sunday.

Don O. Butterfield, a well known banker and manager of the Wilmington branch of the Vermont Savings Bank died at his home at Wilmington, Vt., last Friday at the age of 60 years of a heart attack.

Mrs. Lucy Kamp who has been at the Franklin County hospital for some time has now returned to her home at Ye Auld Hunt's Inn and is gradually improving.

Mrs. Geneva Dawe of East Northfield is ill at the Franklin County hospital.

Miss Roslyn True becomes a contributor to the Poet's Corner of the Press. I am sure that our readers will appreciate her poems. —(Editor).

SOUTH VERNON

Mrs. G. F. Skillings received word that her uncle, David E. Houghtaling of Holyoke, passed away at his home Tuesday night at the age of 80 years. The funeral will be held Thursday at the South Vernon church and he will be buried at Hinsdale, N. H.

Mr. Houghtaling was employed by the American Paper Co. of Holyoke, many years. He was a member of the Advent Christian church of So. Vernon. He and Mrs. Houghtaling contributed towards the support of the Vernon Home and they spent a part of his summer vacation there.

He is survived by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Frank Brogham of Springfield, two nieces, Mrs. G. F. Skillings of So. Vernon and Mrs. Millie O. Shearer of Greenfield. Mr. Houghtaling went to his work Monday morning in his usual health, later he complained of his not feeling well and he was taken home at noon, where he passed away very soon after reaching there.

The South Vernon P.T. A. held a business meeting at the South schoolhouse Tuesday evening. Mrs. C. I. Holton was elected chairman of the April social committee. After the business meeting a Newspaper Social was held. 30 or more enjoyed the fine program.

The W. C. T. U.

Last Friday afternoon, the executive committee of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, met with their president, Mrs. N. Fay Smith, to plan for coming meetings. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Lazzell's, Wednesday, Feb. 19. Dr. Dean will give a talk on "The Affects of Alcohol on the Human System," and his view point of its use, as a "medicine."

Every member should keep this date to welcome Dr. and Mrs. Dean and hear his message. All will be welcome whether members or not. Dr. Dean will answer questions, so come prepared to ask them. Teachers of our public schools are cordially invited to attend. The Berean Class are also invited to join this meeting.

Angry Father: A car? Of course you can't have a car! Why, you would be absolutely helpless if you found yourself with a flat tire.

Daughter (confidentially): Oh, no, I wouldn't, Daddy. I've given flat tires the air before this.

Motorist: Some of you pedestrians walk along just as if you owned the streets.

Pedestrian: Yes, and some of you motorists drive around just as if you owned the car.

"I'm sorry I was late for our appointment, Jim. I was setting a trap for my wife."

"No! What do you suspect?"

"A mouse, in the pantry."

Judge: The best thing you can do is to become reconciled to your wife.

Prisoner: And the next best?

A politician was called up at his office recently and notified that his wife had presented him with triplets. He was silent for a moment, and then boomed forth: "I demand a recount."

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EDITORIAL

The fears of inflation are adding fresh disturbances in high circles in Washington. There must be more bond issues, more taxes, more printing-press money or more devaluation of the dollar if the new Congress makes the huge appropriations that are demanded. Nobody seems to know just which road the politicians will take—but there is good reason to expect "inflation."

Alice Roosevelt Longworth, leading lady in political society of Washington ever since she used to cut capers in the White House when her great father was President, writes a piece for the papers every day. Heretofore, she has always maintained silence, never submitted to interviews, and her power has always been among the rich mysteries of "invisible government." As usual, she puts lustre and brilliancy into her work as one of "we" newspaper writers. Her stuff is pungent, sarcastic and very human. Everybody in Washington seems to like it, and her cousin still welcomes her to the White House.

The railroads of the country appear to have been forced to resist control of their important affairs by the Government, while at the same time they have been borrowing from the Federal treasury until their indebtedness is approximately \$500,000,000. Railroad executives have been slow in learning that you can't talk back to the money-lenders. Railroad securities have become poor investments, and about one-quarter of the entire mileage of the lines is in the hands of receivers and trustees. It is not strange that one often hears the prediction, in the National Capital, that the Government may take over the railroads.

Many moving pictures promoters and radio advertisers offer as an excuse for their gross, inept pictures and programs that the taste of the people is such that it does not appreciate higher entertainment. It is doubtless true that some prefer the lower types of entertainment, but constant fostering of such types lends a sanction to a laxity to good standards which is quickly grasped by the weak and avaricious-minded, with the consequence that the will of the weak and avaricious tend to lower the level of general culture.

FAITH

Faith is one of the greatest things in the world. It is the first of the familiar old trilogy, faith, hope and charity, and the order of the words are not by accident, for faith must exist before either of the other two are possible. It is the root of hope and of love. Take faith from the world and there wouldn't be much left. It would sever every tie that binds man to his brother or to God. It would break down his own ego and will-power. It would reduce civilization to a jelly-fish sort of existance that

would make human achievement impossible.

When a child loses faith in his parents, he is no longer theirs, except by accident of birth. Any allegiance he may render is but a surface respect, born perhaps by habit or a sense of duty. When friend loses faith in friend, the doors of the inner shrine close automatically, locking themselves against a possible enemy more deadly than death itself. For the soul that has lost faith in one once loved, finds itself endangered by the very nakedness and defencelessness in which it had formerly gloried. With faith in his friend, he had delighted in placing himself and all that he was without reserve in the power of him who was more than brother. But with faith destroyed he must needs frantically throw up the broken barriers lest he whom had inadvertently been allowed to come too close, should do him harm.

When man loses faith in himself, he loses the power to fulfill his dreams. The splendor and glory of living are no longer his. He is a creature beset by doubt and companioned by fear. His feet falter along the smoothest way as if through mire or quicksand. His mind is haunted by nightmares whether the day be dark or sunny. Without faith he is but a pitiful bit of life, crushed and beaten within his own secret citadel.

When a man loses faith in God he has lost all; his home, his friends and himself, and he has gone a step farther, he has renounced all of creation. He has nothing within himself, nothing left in the earth or heaven to arouse hope or affection.

But is it possible for man to sink so far down that some spark of faith does not still persist?

It's deep enough in the lives of the most forlorn and you will find something of faith to which he still clings. He may deny God

everywhere deep within himself is a faith in a power greater than his own sorry reason.

He may deny all human-kind but somewhere within he still lights a candle before a secret shrine.

Faith is the foundation of

—moral greatness and lack

of faith is the quicksand that

destroys him. Love is the flower of living, but faith is the root.

Love glories in the sunlight, but

faith accomplishes its task in the

darkness and silence underground.

Love is the perfected ending, but faith is the beginning.

Faith is love in infancy. It is the

germ of love planted deep in the

darkness of human hearts awaiting

the rain and the sunlight.

—Blanche I. Corser

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No. 7579

To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to Truman S. Webb, Thomas S. Webb and Thomas Webb, residence unknown, or their heirs, devisees or legal representatives:

Whereas, petition has been presented to said Court by Charles E. Leach of Northfield in the County of Franklin and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a certain parcel of land situate in Northfield in the County of Franklin and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows: East by the highway from Bernardston to Vernon; south by land of one Pickett; west by land of J. Holton; north by land of Allen and Aldrich. Cont. 40 acres, more or less.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court, to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the second day of March A. D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from exercising any rights of redemption as aforesaid.

And it appearing to the Court, upon the suggestion of the petitioner, that the residences of the foregoing named respondents are unknown, and that they have received no actual notice of these proceedings, it is ordered that service of this citation be made on them by publishing the same forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the *Northfield Press*, a newspaper published in said Northfield, and this action is ordered to be continued until service of this citation is made agreeably to this order.

Witness, CHARLES THORNTON DAVIS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of February in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-six.

Attest with seal of said Court.
CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH,
Recorder
Stoddard, Ball & Bartlett,
359 Main St., Greenfield, Mass.
Atty. for the Petitioner

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"Rose Marie" Movie
At Brattleboro

No matter how much you liked "Naughty Marietta," that musical sensation of 1935, you're sure to like "Rose Marie" even more. Again co-starring Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy, this production will open at the Auditorium Theatre, Brattleboro,

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next Monday for a week's engagement. Like its forerunner, "Rose Marie" was directed by W. S. Van Dyke and produced by Hunt Stromberg, who combined their talents to give this picture one of the finest productions to come out of Hollywood in a long time. Replete with haunting music, a tender love story, magnificent photography and backgrounds, it is truly the film sensation of the year.

Don't miss seeing this picture. Manager Latchis will be happy to greet his Northfield friends and patrons.

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LATCHIS THEATRE BRATTLEBORO AUDITORIUM

Fri. - Sat. Feb. 7 - 8
"FRESHMAN LOVE"
Frank McHugh - Patricia Ellis
Warren Hull - Joe Cawthorn
News - Comedy - Novelty
5 ACTS RKO VODVIL

Mon. - Tues. Feb. 10 - 11
"The Widow from Monte Carlo"
Warren William-Dolores Del Rio
Louise Fazenda - Colin Clive
Latest News, Comedy, Novelties

Wed. - Thurs. Feb. 12 - 13
Double Feature Program
Carl Brisson in
"SHIP CAFE"
Arline Judge - William Frawley
"The Goose and the Gander"
Kay Francis - George Brent

Reginald Owen - Allen Jones
Gilda Gray

Fri. - Sat. Feb. 7 - 8
"CEILING ZERO"
James Cagney - Pat O'Brien
June Travis - Stuart Erwin
Barton MacLane
Henry Wadsworth

Also News - Novelties

ALL WEEK

Mon. thru Sat. Feb. 10 - 15
JEANETTE MACDONALD
NELSON EDDY in
"ROSE MARIE"

Reginald Owen - Allen Jones
Gilda Gray

VICTORIA THEATRE
Greenfield

Friday-Saturday, February 7-8
"We Live Again" from Tolstoy's novel "Resurrection" with Anna Sten, Frederic March, also "The Girl Friend" with Ann Sothern, Jack Haley.

Sunday thru Wednesday, February 9-10-11-12—"Arrowsmith" with Ronald Colman, Helen Hayes, from the novel by Sinclair Lewis.

TUESDAY—"Kind Lady" with Aline MacMahon, Basil Rathbone, plus added features.

Wednesday-Thursday—"The Great Impersonation" with Edmund Lowe, also "Freshman Love" with Frank McHugh, Patricia Ellis.

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